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METHOD FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF DATA RECEIVED

VIA A DATA BUS, AND APPARATUS FOR CARRYING OUT

THE METHOD

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## **RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated January 13, 2006, having a shortened period for response that expired on April 13, 2006, Applicants hereby submit the following Amendment with the accompanying remarks.

Reconsideration of the application in view of the amendment is respectfully requested.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

## CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted via facsimile to Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 2313-1450 on <u>27 March 2006</u> at facsimile number (571) 273-8300.

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